IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Gouichi NISHIZAWA, et al.

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For: R-T-B System Rare Earth Permanent

Magnet

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(C)

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Applicant petitions under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) to withdraw this application from issue to permit consideration of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). The issue fee was submitted in this application on July 5, 2007. The RCE and Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) are enclosed.

Please charge the petition fee due under 37 CFR 1.17(h), and any additional fees due, to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314. The Office of Petitions is urged to telephone the undersigned to resolve any issues that arise in granting this petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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